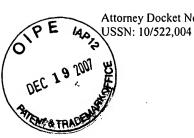
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In re Application of: Kenneth Rice et al. **Application No.:** 10/522,004

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents Post Office Box 1450 Washington, D.C. 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Please enter the following amendments to Claims 67-104 and 113-120, cancel Claims 105-112 and 121-122, and add new Claims 137-154. No new matter is added and support for the changes can be found throughout the Specification.

Amendment and cancellation of pending claims and addition of new claims are given in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this correspondence.

Remarks begin on page 41.